

**Claims**

1. A method of treatment of sexual dysfunction by administering to a person in need of treatment an effective amount of gepirone as either a short-term or a long-term therapy.
2. The method of treatment according to claim 1, wherein the sexual dysfunction is a sexual disorder selected (hypoactive) sexual desire disorder, orgasmic disorder and sexual arousal disorder.
3. The method of treatment according to claim 2, wherein the disorder is selected to be (hypoactive) sexual desire disorder.
4. The method of treatment according to claim 2, wherein the disorder is selected to be arousal disorder.
5. The method of treatment according to any one of claims 1 – 4, wherein the sexual dysfunction is female sexual dysfunction.

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